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SUBJECT: S.A. PRESS SPECULATES ON U.S. ABSTENTION AT SECURITY  
COUNCIL

JOHANNESBURG'S LIBERAL " RAND DAILY MAIL" OF AUGUST 2 CARRIED  
ARTICLE DATLELINED WASHINGTON UNDER LEAD "U.N. RAP FOR S.A.  
WORRIES DR. K.". ARTICLE SAYS " DR. KISSINGER IS WORRIED THAT  
THE SECURITY COUNCIL'S CONDEMNATION OF SOUTH AFRICA AT THE  
WEEKEND MIGHT UPSET HIS DIPLOMATIC EFFORTS TO PREVENT THE  
SPREAD OF BLOODSHE IN SOUTHERN AFRICA." ARTICLE QUOTES  
"SOURCES" AS SAYING " THIS WAS WHY THE U.S. AMBASSADOR, MR.  
WILLIAM SCRANTON, ABSTAINED FROM JOINING THE REST OF  
THE COUNCIL IN CONDEMNING SOUTH AFRICA FOR AN ALLEGED  
RAID ON THE ZAMBIAN VILLAGE OF SIALOLA ON JULY 11" AND  
PREDICTED THERE WOULD BE " ANOTHER ONSLAUGHT" ON SOUTH AFRICA  
AT THE SECURITY COUNCIL OVER HE " ILLEGAL OCCUPATION" OF  
SOUTH WEST AFRICA. ARTICLE ENDS BY SAYING, " DR. KISSINGER  
HAD MR. SCRANTON POINT OUT THAT THE SECURITY COUNCIL  
SHOULD HAVE SENT THE INVESTIGATORS THE SOUTH AFRICANS HAD  
INVITED... AND HAD HIM UNDERLINE THAT 'CURRENT EFFORTS  
OF A SERIOUS NATURE ARE BEING MADE TO MAKE PROGRESS  
TOWEARD A SOLUTION IN SOUTHERN AFRICA' ". ITEM.  
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